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PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Title: Papers Laid on the Table by members/ministers.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI SHRIPAD YASSO NAIK): On behalf of Shri Jaswant Singh, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (3) of section 63 of the Competition Act, 2002:-

(1) The Competition Commission of India (Oath of Office and of Secrecy for Chairperson and other Members) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 757(E) in Gazette of India dated the 23rd September, 2003.

(2) The Competition Commission of India (Salary, Allowances and other Terms and Conditions of Service of Chairperson and other Members) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 784(E) in Gazette of India dated the 6th October, 2003.

(Placed in Library.See No.LT-8085/03)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR): On behalf of Shri Arun Jaitley, I beg to lay on the Table-

(1) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (3) of section 169 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951:-

(i) The Conduct of Assembly Elections (Sikkim) Amendment Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O. 1192 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 9th October, 2003.

(ii) The Conduct of Elections (Second Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O. 1232 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 24th October, 2003.

(iii) The Conduct of Elections (Third Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O. 1283 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 10th November, 2003.

(iv) The Conduct of Elections (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O. 1294 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 11th November, 2003.

(v) S.O. 1047 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 12th September, 2003containing corrigendum to the Notification No. S.O. 903(E) dated the 5th August, 2003.

(2) A copy of the Registration of Electors (Amendment) Rules, 2003 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. S.O. 934 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 18th August, 2003 under sub-section (3) of section 28 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950, together with a corrigendum thereto published in Notification No. S.O. 956 (E) dated the 21st August, 2003.

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THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR): On behalf of Shrimati Jaskaur Meena, I beg to lay on the Table a copy of the National Charter for Children, 2003 (Hindi and English versions).

(Placed in Library.See No.LT-8087/03)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI SHRIPAD YASSO NAIK): I beg to lay on the Table −(1) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under section 296 of the Income - tax Act, 1961:-

(i) S.O. 933 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 18th August, 2003 containing corrigendum to the Notification

No. S.O.879(E) dated the 31st July, 2003.

(ii) The Income-tax (15th Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.972 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 26th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(iii) The Income-tax (16th Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.973 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 26th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(iv) The Electronic Filing of Returns of Tax Deducted at Source Scheme, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.974 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 26th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(v) The Income-tax (17th Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1008 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 1st September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(vi) The Income-tax (18th Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1026 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 5th Sept ember, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(vii) The Income-tax (19th Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1046 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 12th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(viii) The Income-tax (20th Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1109 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 25th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(ix) The Income-tax (21st Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1110 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 25th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(x) The Income-tax (22nd Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1145 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 30th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(xi) The Income-tax (23rd Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1162 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 1st October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(xii) The Income-tax (24th Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1163 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 1st October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(xiii) The Income-tax (25th Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. S.O.1210 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 17th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(xiv) S.O. 1269 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 4th November, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum notifying the industrial areas and industrial estates in the State of Himachal Pradesh for the purposes of deduction under section 80-IC of the Income-tax Act, 1961.

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(2) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section 7 of section 9A of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 :-

(i) G.S.R. 647 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 8th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti duping duty on Vitamin C, originating in, or exported from, the United States of America and Canada, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(ii) G.S.R. 659 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 13th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti duping duty on non-brass metal flashlights, originating in, or exported from, China, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(iii) G.S.R. 660 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 13th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to rescind notification No. 25/2003-Cus., dated the 13th February, 2003.

(iv) G.S.R. 661 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 14th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti duping duty on induction hardened forged steel rolls, originating in, or exported from, Russia, Ukraine and Korea, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(v) G.S.R. 662 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 14th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to rescind Notification No. 1/2003-Cus., dated the 1st January, 2003.

(vi) G.S.R. 680 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 25th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend Notification No. 1/2002-Cus., dated the 2nd January, 2002.

(vii) G.S.R. 684 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 26th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose provisional anti duping duty on Sun and/or Dust Control Polyester films, originating in, or exported from, Taiwan and Unit ed Arab Emirates and imported into India.

(viii) G.S.R. 703 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 3rd September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No.106/2003-Cus., dated the 10th July, 2003.

(ix) G.S.R. 753 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 19th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose provisional anti-duping duty on Import of Copper clad laminates imported from the People's Republic of China, Honkong, Taiwan, South Korea and Philippines, on the basis of the preliminary findings of the designated authority.

(x) G.S.R. 781 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 1st October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti-duping duty on specified Acyclic alcohols originating in, or exported from Brazil, Malaysia, Romania, Singapore and South Africa at the rated recommended by the designated authority.

(xi) G.S.R. 789 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 6th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 77/2000-Cus., dated the 26th May, 2000.

(xii) G.S.R. 790 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 6th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti-dumping duty on Vitamin E Acetate and Vitamin E feed grade, originating in, or exported from the People's Republic of China, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(xiii) G.S.R. 791 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 6th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti-dumping duty on Para cresol, originating in, or exported from the People's Republic of China, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(xiv) G.S.R. 793 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 7th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti-dumping duty on steel and fibre glass tapes and their parts, originating in, or exported from, China, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(xv) G.S.R. 794 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 7th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to rescind notification No. 65/2003-Cus., dated the 4th April, 2003.

(xvi) G.S.R. 805 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 14th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose provisional anti-dumping duty on Methylene Chloride, originating in, or exported from, Republic of Korea, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(xvii) G.S.R. 826 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 20th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend Notification No. 23/2002-Cus., dated the 1st March, 2002.

(xviii) G.S.R. 827 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 20th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti-dumping duty on Methylene Chloride, originating in, or exported from, European Union, South Africa and Singapore, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(xix) G.S.R. 834 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 22nd October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 8/99-Cus., dated the 22nd January, 1999.

(xx) G.S.R. 840 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 24th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose anti-dumping duty on Vitamin C, originating in, or exported from, the People's Republic of China, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(xxi) G.S.R. 712 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 5th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose provisional anti-dumping duty on plastic ophthalmic lenses, originating in, or exported from the People's Republic of China and Taiwan, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(xxii) G.S.R. 759 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 23rd September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to impose final anti-dumping duty on Sodium Hydroxide, originating in, or exported from Republic of Korea and the People's Republic of China, at the rates recommended by the designated authority.

(xxiii) G.S.R. 861(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 4th November, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to rescind notification No. 112/2003-Cus., dated the 18th July, 2003.

(xxiv) G.S.R. 872 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 7th November, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 139/2003-Cus., dated the 5th September, 2003.

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(3) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under section 159 of the Customs Act, 1962:-

(i) S.O. 969 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 26th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum regarding revised rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of import.

(ii) S.O. 970 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 26th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum regarding revised rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of export.

(iii) S.O. 993 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 29th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend certain notifications mentioned therein.

(iv) S.O. 1102 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 25th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum regarding revised rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of import.

(v) S.O. 1103 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 25th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum regarding revised rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of export.

(vi) S.O. 1209 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 17th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 36/2001-Cus., (NT) dated the 3rd August, 2001.

(vii) S.O. 1238 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 28th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum regarding revised rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of import.

(viii) S.O. 1239 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 28th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum regarding revised rates of exchange for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of export.

(ix) S.O. 1241 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 29th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 36/2001-Cus., (NT) dated the 3rd August, 2001.

(x) G.S.R. 695 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 28th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 21/2002-Cus., dated the 1st March, 2002.

(xi) G.S.R. 704 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 3rd September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 146/94 Cus., dated the 13th July, 1994.

(xii) G.S.R. 711 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 5th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 21/2002-Cus., dated the 1st March, 2002.

(xiii) G.S.R. 806 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 14th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 26/2000-Cus., dated the 1st March, 2000.

(xiv) G.S.R. 824 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 20th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 21/2002-Cus., dated the 1st March, 2002.

(xv) G.S.R. 825 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 20th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 21/2002-Cus., dated the 1st March, 2002.

(xvi) G.S.R. 841 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 24th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 21/2002-Cus., dated the 1st March, 2002.

(xvii) G.S.R. 860 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 4th November, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 21/2002-Cus., dated the 1st March, 2002.

(xviii) The Courier Imports and Exports (Clearance) (Second Amendment) Regulations, 2003 published in Notification No. G.S.R.866 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 6th November, 2003 together with an explanatory

memorandum.

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(4) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (2) of section 38 of the Central Excise Act, 1944:-

(i) The CENVAT Credit (Seventeenth Amendment) Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 719 (E) in Gazette of India dated 9th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum.

(ii) G.S.R. 863(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 5th November, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notifications mentioned therein.

(iii) G.S.R. 638 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 6th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 6/2002-CE, dated the 1st March, 2002.

(iv) G.S.R. 639 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 6th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend certain notifications mentioned therein.

(v) G.S.R. 640(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 7th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to exempt twisted filament yarn (including crepe yarn), when manufactured by an independent twister, from so much of duty of excise, which is in excess of duties of excise and additional duties of excise paid on filament yearns, purchased or procured from outside, from which such twisted filament yearns have been manufactured.

(vi) G.S.R. 652 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 11th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend two notifications mentioned therein.

(vii) G.S.R. 679 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 25th August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to provide partial exemption from duties of central excise to units in North East, manufacturing tobacco products, subject to certain conditions.

(viii) G.S.R. 706 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 4th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 7/2003-CE, dated the 1st March, 2003.

(ix) G.S.R. 717 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 9th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to exempt excisable goods manufactured by specified industries located in the Industrial Growth Centre, Industrial Infrastructure Development Centre or export promotion industrial park or industrial estate or industrial area or Commercial Estate, or Scheme Area in the State of Sikkim, subject to certain conditions.

(x) G.S.R. 718(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 9th September, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 56/2003-CE, dated the 25th June, 2003.

(xi) G.S.R. 823 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 20th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 6/2002-CE, dated the 1st March, 2002.

(xii) G.S.R. 842 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 27th October, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to amend notification No. 7/2003-CE, dated the 1st March, 2003.

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(5) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (4) of section 94 of the Finance Act, 1994:-

(i) G.S.R. 676 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 21st August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to exempt taxable service provided to a customer in relation to commissioning or installation by a commissioning and installation agency, other than a commercial concern, from the service tax leviable thereon.

(ii) G.S.R. 677 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 21st August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to exempt taxable service provided to a customer in relation to commissioning or installation by a commissioning and installation agency, from so much of service tax leviable thereon, subject to certain conditions.

(iii) G.S.R. 678 (E) published in Gazette of India dated the 21st August, 2003 together with an explanatory memorandum seeking to exempt taxable service provided to a customer by any person in relation to maintenance or

repair of computers, computers systems or computer peripherals.

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(6) A copy of the Notification No. S.O. 1263 (E) (Hindi and English versions) published in Gazette of India dated the 3rd November, 2003 containing Presidential Order directing insertions of new paragraph 10A in the Terms of Reference of the 12th Finance Commission in Notification No. 1161 (E) dated the 1st November 2002 under proviso to article 280 of the Constitution.

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(7) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India, Mumbai, for the year 2002-2003, together with Audit Report thereon under sub-section (4) of section 15 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992.

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(8) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (3) of section 21 of the Coinage Act, 1906:-

(i) The Coinage (Standard Weight and Remedy of Commemorative Coins) of the One Hundred Rupees (containing Silver 50%, Copper 40%, Nickel 5% and Zinc 5%) and Two Rupees (containing Copper 75% and Nickel 25%) coined on "150 years of Railways in India" Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 653 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 11th August, 2003.

(ii) The Coinage (Standard Weight and Remedy of Commemorative Coins) of the One Hundred Rupees (containing Silver 50%, Copper 40%, Nickel 5% and Zinc 5%), Ten Rupees (containing Copper 75% and Nickel 25%) and One Rupee Ferritic Stainless Steel (containing Iron 82% and Chromium 18%) coined in honour of "Veer Durgadas" Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 654 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 11th August, 2003.

(iii) The Coinage (Standard Weight and Remedy of Commemorative Coins) of Rupee Five (containing Copper 75% and Nickel 25%) coined in the memory of "Dadabhai Naoroji" Rules, 2003 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 709 (E) in Gazette of India dated the 5th September, 2003.

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(9) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (4) of section 19 of the Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfers of Undertakings) Act, 1970 and 1980 :-

(i) The Syndicate Bank General (Amendment) Regulations, 2003 published in Notification No. 01/2003/2914 in Gazette of India dated the 30th October, 2003.

(ii) The Union Bank of India General (Amendment) Regulations, 2003 published in Notification No. SMR/01 in Gazette of India dated the 14th November, 2003.

(iii) The Andhra Bank General (Amendment) Regulations, 2003 published in Notification No.666/25/P.119/550 in Gazette of India dated the 14th November, 2003.

(iv) The Central Bank of India General (Amendment) Regulations, 2003 published in Notification No. CO/LEGAL/GS/2003-04/383A in Gazette of India dated the 14th November, 2003.

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(10) A copy of the Notification No. S.O. 1275(E) (Hindi and English versions) published in Gazette of India 5th November, 2003 specifying the "Asian Development Bank" as "Financial institution" for the purposes of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 issued under section 2 of the said Act.

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(11) A copy of the Notification No. S.O. 1282(E) (Hindi and English versions) published in Gazette of India 10th November, 2003 specifying certain housing finance companies registered under sub-section (5) of section 29A of the National Housing Bank Act, 1987 to be treated as Financial Institutions for the purpose of the sub-clause (iv) of clause (m) of section 1 and 2 of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 issued under the said Act.

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(12) A copy of the Mid-Year Review for the year 2003-2004 (Hindi and English versions).

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